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Applicant: P. ERICSON et al. Conf.: 1164
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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PRINTING BY USING A POSITION-CODING PATTERN

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

November 8, 2002

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 8, 2002, the period for reply having been extended three (3) months to November 8, 2002, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 7 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend and/or reformat the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) An apparatus for printing graphical information on a surface, the apparatus comprising:

a print head for printing indicia on the surface;

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